

subscribing witnesses thereto and it is further shown to the satisfaction of the Court by the said Eveline Williams was, at the time of making said will, of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will and under no restraint, let her knowledge, information or belief; it is therefore considered, adjudged and decreed that said probate is sufficient and according to law another paper writing is and contains the last will and testament of Eveline Williams deceased, and on motion it is ordered that said will be admitted to probate and recorded in the book of Wills of Greene County and as such filed as is required by law in the office of the Superior Court Clerk of said County. It is further ordered that said B. J. D. Gilverton be allowed to qualify as executor as provided by law and enter upon the discharge of the duties imposed by said book. Dated this the 3rd day of August 1898.

J. W. Blount,
Clerk of Superior Court.

(State of North Carolina)
Greene County }

I Betsy Mercer of the County and State aforesaid being of sound mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following This is to say first that my Executors hereinafter named shall provide for my body a decent burial and pay all funeral expenses together with my just debts however and to whomsoever owing out of the proceeds collected of my Estate. My will and desire is, at my decease that all of my real and personal Estate shall be sold and the debts owing is me collected and if there shall be any surplus over and above the payment of debts and expenses that such surplus shall be equally divided and paid over to my four children and grandchild living to be equally divided between Lucy Mercer, Rachel Bailey, Bettie Beaman, to share and have alike to them and each and every one of them their Executors

administrators and assigns at their liberty forever and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint myself to Lucy Mercer, my lawful executors to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the terms intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof hereby revoking and deeming utterly void all other wills and testaments by me hitherto made. In witness whereof I the said Betsy Mercer do herein set my hand and seal this the 14 day of December 1891

Betsy Mercer 

Signed sealed published
and declared by the said
Betsy Mercer to be her
last will and testament
in the presence of us
who at her request and in
her presence do subscribe
our names as witnesses
thereunto

Bennett Fields.
W. J. Craft.

(State of North Carolina) } In the
Greene County } Superior Court
A paper writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of Betsy Mercer, deceased, is exhibited
before me the undersigned Clerk of Court for said
County by Lucy Mercer, Betsy Mercer, the
executors herein mentioned, and the subscription
thereof by the said Betsy Mercer by her self and
examination of Bennett Fields and W. J. Craft,
the subscribing witnesses thereto who, being duly
sworn, doth depose and say, and each for
himself depothe and saith, that he is a subscrib
ing witness to the paper writing now shown him,
purporting to be the last will and testament of
Betsy Mercer; that the said Betsy Mercer, in the
presence of this deponent, subscribed his name
at the end of said paper writing now shown as
aforesaid, and which bears the date of the 14th
day of Dec. 1891. And the deponent further saith,
that the said Betsy Mercer, the testator aforesaid,

and, at the time of subscribing the name as aforesaid declareth the said paper writing is subscribed by him and exhibited to be the last will and testament, and this deponent did therupon subscribe his name at the end of said will as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of the said testator. And this deponent further saith, that at the time when the said testator subscribed his name to the said last will as aforesaid, and at the time of deponents subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto as aforesaid, the said Betsy Merce was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a will, and was not under any restraint to the knowledge, information or belief of this deponent; And further, these deponents say not.

Bennett Fields *(seal)*
W. J. Craft. *(seal)*

Sincerely sworn and
subscribed this 21st day
of April, 1893 before me
J W Blount
C.C.

State of North Carolina } In Superior Court
Green County } Before
Dr. H. E. Estale of } J W Blount, Clerk.
Betsy Merce, deceased } Order for probate of Will.
A paper writing purporting to be the last will and
testament of Betsy Merce, deceased, is exhibited in
open court for probate by Levy Merce, Myron
Merce, Executors Executors therein named; and the
due examination thereof by the said Betsy Merce,
deceased, is duly proven by the oath and examination
of Bennett Fields and W. J. Craft, subscribing
witnesses thereto and it is further shown to the
satisfaction of the Court by said witnesses that
the said Betsy Merce was, at the time of making said
will, of sound mind and memory, of full age to
execute a will and under no restraint to their
knowledge, information or belief; It is therupon
considered, adjudged and ordered that said proof
is sufficient and according to law and that
said paper writing is and contains the last

will and testament of Betsy Merce, deceased. And on motion it is ordered that the said will be admitted to probate and recorded in the book of Wills of Green County and as such filed as is required by law in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County. It is further ordered that said Levy Merce, Myron Merce, be allowed to qualify as Executrix as provided by law and enter upon the discharge of the duties imposed by said trust -
Dated this the 21st day of April 1893.

J W Blount
Clerk of Superior Court.

I Amanda Yeott of the County of Green and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, That is to say first, that my executors hereinafter named shall provide for my body a decent burial pay all funeral expenses together with my just debts however, and to whosoever owing out of the money that may come into his hands as a part or parcel of my estate. Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Curtis Pepp one dollar. I give and bequeath unto my two daughters Francis Scott, and Eliza Armonde one dollar each, I give and bequeath unto my Grand Daughters Doran Scott Fifty dollars of the amount realized and collected from the S.O. of L. S. D. of S. in America, after my death. I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved son Richard Jones my Dwelling and the lot upon which Dwelling is situated being in the town of Hookerton and joining the lots of Joseph Moore & Noah Wilson, I further give to my beloved son Richard Jones the remainder after paying Doran Scott the above mentioned amount fifty dollars. Of the amount paid to my estate by the Order of S.O. of L. S. D. of S. in America after my death; And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusted Son Richard Jones my lawful executors to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament, according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every